August 27, 1962

Handwritten notes of President Kennedy at
his desk to be used in connection with a
statement on Cuba:

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spur of the moment and hit and run raid such as this only strenthens the communist cause, not weaken it.

While we appreciate the strong feelings of this free student group and their hostility to the most oppressive regime

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we cannot approve of the use of the United States territory for such activities.

The Justice Department has been instructed to impound the goods - and we must inform those involved that any repetition

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by any group will bring this under the provisions and penalties of the neutraly netrality Act.

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